## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 17 and ending at page 11, line 25, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Fig. 1 is a view schematically showing a corner portion including an optical unit of an apparatus for inputting coordinates of the present invention;

Fig. 2A and Fig. 2B are views showing a corner cube reflector;

Fig. 3A and Fig. 3B are views schematically showing an internal structure of a light emitting section of an optical unit of the apparatus for inputting coordinates according to a first embodiment;

Fig. 4 is a view schematically showing an internal structure of a light receiving section of the optical unit of the apparatus for inputting coordinates according to the first embodiment when viewing from a direction vertical to a coordinate input plane;

Fig. 5 is a view schematically showing a construction of the apparatus for inputting coordinates to the first embodiment;

Fig. 6 is a view to explain one example of adjusting a height of a reflecting section of the apparatus for inputting coordinates according to the first embodiment;

Fig. 7 is a view to explain one example of a joint member for joining a frame section of the apparatus for inputting coordinates according to the first embodiment to a frame section of another apparatus for inputting coordinates;

Fig. 8A and Fig. 8B are views showing another arrangement of the light emitting section and the light receiving section of the apparatus for inputting coordinates according to the first embodiment;

Fig. 9A and Fig. 9B are views schematically showing a corner portion including an optical unit of an apparatus for inputting coordinates of to a second embodiment;

Fig. 10A and Fig. 10B are views schematically showing an internal structure of the optical unit of the apparatus for inputting coordinates according to the second embodiment;

Fig. 11 is a view to explain a shielding plate attached to the optical unit of the apparatus for inputting coordinates according to the second embodiment;

Fig. 12A and Fig. 12B are views schematically showing a corner portion including an optical unit of a conventional apparatus for inputting coordinates;

Fig. 13A and Fig. 13B are views schematically showing another conventional optical type apparatus for inputting coordinates;

Fig. 14A, and Fig. 14B, and Fig. 14C are views showing an area where a detection accuracy is reduced in the conventional optical type apparatus for inputting coordinates, and to explain the principle;

Fig. 15A and Fig. 15B are views to explain the principle that "unnecessary character locus" occurs in the case where an irradiation light portion is higher than a coordinate input plane in the conventional optical type apparatus for inputting coordinates; and

Fig. 16A to Fig. 16F are views to explain the principle that "faintness" occurs in the case where an irradiation light portion is higher than a coordinate input plane in the conventional optical type apparatus for inputting coordinates.